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ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, three insertions, 50 cents; six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—A partner for an established business, to take charge of a branch store. None but sober, steady men need apply. Capital required about $1100. Address "Store," Box 581, P. O., Victoria. octl0-3t.

WANTED—A situation as Clerk or Assistant in a mercantile office. Address "P." TIMES office. octl0t

WANTED—By a young woman, lately from Ontario, a position as domestic in a private family. Address "Domestic," TIMES office. octl0 tf

WANTED—A farm labourer, lately from England, wants employment. Is accustomed to taking care of all kinds of stock. Good references can be given. Apply to James Eccles, Vancouver House. oct8

WANTED—Two finishers. Apply immediately to Ewl the Tailor. oct4

WANTED—By a single gentleman, board and lodging in a private family. Street must be well ventilated and heated. Address, giving location, Q. C., TIMES office. oct

WANTED—A girl to take care of a baby and assist in light housework. Address "C." TIMES office. oct 2t

WANTED—A woman to cook and do general housework in a small, respectable family. Apply at THE TIMES office. sept1 tf

WANTED—Wanted immediately, a good Coatmaker also a Pantmaker. Steady work at regular prices. Address "S. T.," New Westminster. sept1 tf

Board and Lodging.

THE undersigned having opened a first-class Boarding and Lodging House, hope to be favored with a share of patronage. Terms moderate. Meals at all hours. Accommodation for a limited number of persons. MRS. J. KING, Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates (formerly McKeon House.) aug8 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One "Hall's" Safe, new. For particulars apply to Frank Campbell. oct2w

FOR SALE—BUGGY, CHEAP—For pair or single, with hood. Only been in use two months. For further particulars address S. J., TIMES office. sep 9

FOR SALE, very cheap, a small Farm on one of the islands, together with furniture in house. Apply for particulars to S. P. Mills, Langley street, Victoria. sep22

FOR SALE—One gentle driving Horse, one set single harness; one two-wheel Dog Cart, nearly new, for sale cheap. Apply at the TIMES office. sep18 tf

FOR SALE.—For sale or to let, a most desirable business location, being the new building situated between Captain Howard's and the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt. Property fronts on Wharf street, and rear faces the Dry Dock. For further particulars, apply at THE TIMES office. sep8 1m

FOR SALE—A fine team of American mares, six years old, well mated, weight between 1300 and 1400 pounds. Apply to the Cowichan Lumber Yard. aug19 tf

LOST.

LOST—Between Esquimalt and Government House, a Clarionette, in black leather case. Anybody returning the same to the Bandmaster of H. M. S. Triumph will be rewarded. oct 8t

LOST—One heavy working Horse, bay, well-ironed, white face, branded "G. F." on the left shoulder. Also, a large driving Horse, bay, small star on forehead, left hind foot white, branded like a fork on left shoulder. A liberal reward will be paid for recovery. Apply to LARKIN, CONNOLLY & CO. oct6 tf

$5 REWARD—Lost, last night, on Pemberton street, a Gold Bracelet. Any one finding the same will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at TIMES office. oct 6 tf

MEETINGS.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE HALL every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All cordially invited. Chair taken at 8 o'clock. HENRY BUDGE, President.

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Notice to the Public.

PENDING consolidation of Assignment, the stock

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OF

Books, Stationery, Cutlery, Fancy Goods, Etc.,

Will be continued

AT COST, for a short time only.

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First Class Property for Sale IN Cowichan District,

CONSISTING of Fifty acres of good arable land, about two miles from Cowichan wharf. The land is well adapted for fruit growing, poultry raising, etc.

Fifty acres of first class bottom land easily cleared, and adjoining the above property, can be had at a reasonable price.

To parties in search of a good home we feel this is a first class chance.

For particulars apply to W. DUNCAN, Cowichan, or R. NUTTALL, Real Estate Agent, Victoria. Oct 2 2m

THE GOLD REGION.

The Undeveloped Wealth of Our Gold and Silver Range.

Its Geographical Features and Present Accessibility by Rail.

The Clatter of Stamp Mills Will Yet be Heard in its Valley.

A correspondent writing from the Second Crossing of the Columbia, gives the following splendid description of our great mineral belt: The construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway has opened up and made available

A RICH MINERAL BELT

lying in the heart of the Rocky Mountain district, and containing gold and silver ore in very large though as yet unascertained quantities. That the wealth is there is certain; the extent of it remains yet to be shown, and the means of access being furnished by the railway, ere long the whole region will be thoroughly examined, trails cut on various lines, and the positions of the rich deposits mapped out. Only as recently as April of last year there were no means of getting west of the summit of the Rocky Mountains, except by a pony trail of very meagre construction and often dangerous character. The passes now traversed by the railway were quite uninhabited and but little visited by man. The trail in question had been made years ago, and kept open by the infrequent visits of some chance traveler, some engineer's party or an occasional band of Plain Indians going through to buy—or steal—horses from the Kootenay Indians of the west. Such a trail as this, that had to be followed some hundreds of miles from the plains before any mineral deposits could be reached, was quite insufficient to bring in supplies for the working of mines, even had they been discovered. Early in April, 1884, the construction of the wagon road that preceded the railway was begun at the summit of the Rocky Mountains, and during the year was pushed through the Kicking Horse Pass, down the Columbia valley, and across the Selkirk range to the Second Crossing of the Columbia river, a total distance of one hundred and forty miles. At the Second Crossing this wagon road met and joined with another which had been constructed to that point from the west during the autumn of last year; so that, for the first time in the history of Canada, communication by road was established across the continent.

During the session of 1884 the railway was built from the summit of the Rocky mountains down the Kicking Horse Pass to where it enters the Columbia valley (forty-five miles), thence northward down the Columbia valley for thirty miles to the mouth of the Beaver river, a stream flowing into the Columbia from the Selkirk range lying to the west; and the rails were laid to this point by the end of last December, a total distance of seventy-five miles from the Rocky mountain summit.

THE GEOGRAPHICAL FEATURES

of the country under consideration may be briefly described as follows: The general direction of the Columbia valley at the point where the railway enters it is north and south, and its width about eight miles. The river flows north. This valley divides the true Rocky mountain range, lying on its eastern side, from the Selkirk range on the west. As before mentioned, the railway follows the river for about thirty miles, until the Beaver Pass is reached; here the line turns west and ascends the Selkirk slope. The Columbia river continues its northerly course for some eighty miles farther, and, at what is known as the Big Bend, makes a bold sweep round the northern extremity of the Selkirks, then flowing almost due south through Oregon territory into the Pacific ocean. The Selkirks form, as it were, a long split of land some two hundred and fifty miles in length and fifty to seventy in width, having the Columbia River on either side, and enclosing their northern end. The geological system to which they belong is the lower carboniferous, in which the dark slates with quartz veins interlaminated are a notable feature.

The rich mineral belt of which we have spoken is crossed by the line of railway a little to the west of the summit of the Selkirks. This belt is a prolongation of

THE GOLD AND SILVER RANGE

that runs up northwards through Texas, Colorado, and Montana. It enters Canadian territory between the 115th and 117th degrees of longitude, passes up by the Kootenay Lakes, traverses the whole length of the Selkirk Range; crosses the Columbia river near the Big Bend, and continues on northwards by the valley of Canoe river to the Cariboo mountains and Peace river district beyond. Its general bearing is north-east, and it is said to be about forty miles in width by some five hundred miles in length in Canadian territory. All old miners have unbounded faith in the existence of this streak of mineral wealth, and their faith has been rewarded in some instances by unusually rich finds. It is a matter of direct observation with them that all the streams flowing out of this belt are more or less gold-bearing; that off it any indications of rich minerals are invariably misleading. In the Cariboo mountains, in 1862, enormously rich placer mines were worked. It was no unusual thing to take out from two hundred and fifty to three hundred ounces of gold "per diem" from one claim, this immense yield being continued for some weeks. Gold is still found there in the creek beds in paying quantities; but the work is not so profitable as formerly, owing to the great depth of gravel that has now to be dug through to reach the bed rock where the gold lies. In 1866, on McCullough creek and Gold creek, near the Big Bend of the Columbia, large quantities of gold were found; but in consequence of the great difficulty and expense of getting in supplies over rough mountain trails, the diggings were abandoned. Flour cost $1 50 per pound, candles $1 each, nails $5 per pound, and so on; and, even at these prices, it was impossible to supply the wants of the community, and starvation forced the miners to leave.

TWENTY YEARS AGO,

at the time of the former excitement, a man who now occupies an important Government position was a working miner, attracted to the McCullough Creek gold fields by that desire for easily-gotten riches that has proved an ignis fatuus to thousands. One day, when clambering up the mountain side, he stumbled upon a rich quartz vein cropping out of the rock. He examined the material, found it to be of the best quality, and bearing a very large percentage of gold. For the reason already given he was unable to make any use of his find. He wisely said nothing about it, but kept the secret until the time should come when it might be turned to profit. The construction of the railway has brought that time, and though no longer himself able to bear the hardships of a miner's life, he this spring fitted out a party of experienced men, and furnished them with accurate descriptions of the position of the vein. The result was that in May last the quartz vein was re-discovered, and the claim located and registered. Specimens of the ore have been brought in. They are extremely rich in gold. The material is the red, rotten quartz with which all Colorado and Montana miners are familiar. Men are now at work laying bare the vein, in order to be certain of its real extent before bringing in crushing machinery. About the same time another party discovered, higher up the creek, a quartz vein rich in both gold and silver.

Further to the south again, on either side of

THE KOOTENAY LAKE,

rich and very extensive deposits of silver ore are about being opened up by a San Francisco company. As far back as the year 1825, a young Scotch botanist, who gave his name to the Douglas pine that is peculiar to British Columbia, camped on the bank of the Lake. In smoothing off the projections of rock that jutted up in the floor of his tent, he was astonished to see glittering metal. Examination showed that this was galena, and recent assays yielded silver at the rate of $80 per ton. For more than half-a-century this wealth lay undeveloped, but the recent construction of the Northern Pacific Railway has made it accessible, and without doubt, at an early date, mining operations will be carried on on an extensive scale. The completion of our national highway, passing through, as it does, almost the very centre of a vast range of mineral wealth, will without doubt give a great impetus to quartz mining; and, in future years, the cold gray slate of the Selkirk and Cariboo mountains will be forced to give up the rich veins of gold they have so long held imprisoned, while the wild and silent valleys will resound to the clatter of the noisy stamping mills.

OUR DISTINGUISHED MEN

The Minister of Militia and Defence, of Canada,

Lately Receives the Honor of Knighthood from the Queen.

SIR J. P. B. ADOLPHE CARON.

The above gentleman is the surviving son of the late Honorable R. E. Caron, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, is a member of the Dominion cabinet with a portfolio as Minister of Justice. During the recent Northwest insurrection he displayed much executive ability in dealing with the trouble. To his prompt ness in despatching men and supplies with alacrity is largely due the credit of having suppressed the uprising in so brief a period, and with so few fatal disasters. For his gallantry and conduct in this respect the Queen was graciously pleased to confer on him the honor of knighthood, much to the satisfaction of his fellow-countrymen in his native province and his political admirers throughout the Dominion. He is now making a tour of the country and everywhere is meeting with a most cordial reception, and the presentation of congratulatory and complimentary addresses. He was born in Quebec in 1843. Was called to the bar in 1865; appointed a Q. C. in 1879. Was first returned for parliament in 1873, and re-elected in the successful candidate for Bellechasse in 1878. Was sworn in as Minister of Militia in 1880, and elected by acclamation, since which time he has held his seat. In politics he is a Liberal Conservative, and an exceedingly popular member of the House with both shades of politics. He is still a member of the legal firm of Messrs. Andrews, Caron & Andrews, of Quebec city.

BOARD OF TRADE'S ADDRESS.

A Very Important Omission Made in its Publication.

An unfortunate omission occurred in publishing the text of the address presented to His Excellency by the British Columbia Board of Trade yesterday. In transcribing the draft of the address one of the sheets, that containing the clause relating to the establishment of the "C" Battery, and School of Gunnery, did not reach this office. The omission was observed by Mr. J. H. Todd, president of the Board, last night, but too late to be rectified. In the address presented to His Excellency it is the sixth paragraph, and reads thus:

"As an initatory step towards this end, the members of the Board hail with pleasure the announcement made by Sir A. P. Caron, in the House of Commons at its last session, that the Dominion government would shortly proceed to establish "C Battery and School of Gunnery" at some point in the vicinity of Victoria and Esquimalt, the necessity for which (in order to protect the very valuable public works in course of completion) was fully recognized by the action of the Federal Parliament in voting a sum of money for that purpose, the object of which we hope (in view of the forward state of the Graving Dock) may be carried out at the earliest possible moment."

Our city contemporaries will please correct the omission.

James Kerr, the oldest custom house officer in Nova Scotia, died yesterday in Halifax. During the Trent affair, twenty-five years ago, he carried the Queen's despatches from Halifax to Quebec, 700 miles, in a sleigh.

FROM BEHRING'S SEA.

The Schooner San Diego Arrives in Port on Friday.

Graphic Account of a Sealing Schooner's Trip to Behring Straits.

The sealing schooner San Diego, which arrived yesterday, was thirty-three days from Ounanask pass. She brought 2215 fur seal and two sea otter skins. The San Diego is of eastern build and nearly half a century old. She has always been noted for her buoyancy and sea-going qualities more than speed. The trip she has just made is possibly the most trying to her abilities of any that she ever made. She left San Francisco on January 23 and hunted the coast of California north until the latter part of May, when she squared away for the far north for the summer's sealing.

THERE WAS FINE WEATHER

the entire passage, and nothing of importance occurred outside of the long and tedious sea voyage until she again started on her homeward journey on September 3. When her prow was first turned to the south, the wind was fair but in a few hours it hauled ahead, and on the following morning, at daybreak, the mainsail was carried away. From September 6 to 16 the weather was pleasant and the winds fair. On the night of the latter day it was blowing a hurricane from the S. E., with the sea breaking furiously over the schooner. The jib and main sail were taken to and the vessel hove to under balanced reefed fore sail. At 2 p. m. of the same day a tremendous sea was shipped over the starboard quarter, washing away one boat, staving another and flooding the decks and cabin with water. Half an hour later another sea was shipped, washing Robert McGatty from the wheel to seaward, where he was

MIRACULOUSLY CAUGHT

by one of the seamen as he was swashing about the decks. At 6 p. m. the ship was behaving badly, the wind blowing with great violence. Shipped another sea, shifting galley, coal locker, and bursting the new three-reefed fore sail. Took to fore sail and hove to under goose-wing main sail.

BLOWING GALES OF WIND,

hail and rain prevailed all night, and at 11 a.m. next day shipped another sea, carrying away flying jib boom and head gear. At 4 p. m., as if to beat its previous violence, the wind freshened from the southwest, with mountainous seas from S. E. to S. W., breaking all around the brave little ship. The sails were again burst and the weather main rigging was carried away, which greatly endangered the bursting of the decks by the masts falling overboard. A little later the elements fired their parting shot, and another sea burst the lee bulwarks and washed everything movable off decks. And then the winds were stilled and the angry sea became calm. The San Diego, battered about so roughly, was handled with admirable skill by the captain and men, and to their excellent seamanship is possibly due her presence in our harbor to-day. After the squall described, there came a calm, and since the 20th of September the schooner has been almost in sight of Victoria.

SCOTTISH POETRY AND SONG

Lord Lansdowne's Lineal Descendant of Baroness Nairne.

At this particular moment it may be of interest to many of THE TIMES' readers to learn that the authoress of that famous, touchingly eloquent, and lit up with a heavenly radiance, picturesque and human-hearted of all Scotch songs, the Land O' the Leal—was Caroline, Baroness Nairne, grand-mother to His Excellency Lord Lansdowne, Canadian Governor-General. Baroness Nairne as a poetress still stands unrivalled in the annals of the country so famed for its songs and poetry, Scotland. She was born in 1766, was doubly and trebly of Jacobite antecedents; on her sires' side the Oliphants of Gask, and on her mother's side from the Robertsons of Strowan, in Athol, Perthshire. Caroline is described as a beautiful blooming girl, who early evinced a great taste for the beautiful and the sentimental. She was tall in figure, dignified in gait, had piercing dark eyes and hair, an aquiline nose and a small mouth. Amongst her most notable productions were the County Meeting; Jamie the Scotch Laird; John Tod and the inimitable Laird of Cockpen; Mailer Jim; Earl Walter; Kind Robin Lovee Me; O Weel may the Keel Row; Caller Herrin; Will ye no Come Back Again; Charlie is my Darling; Wha'll be King but Charlie; A Hundred Pipers, and many others. The Land o' the Leal, which is almost perfection, was written originally with "John" instead of "Jean" as the name of the person apostrophized. The following is the original version:

THE LAND O' THE LEAL.

I'm wearin' awa', John,
Like snow-wreaths in thaw, John,
I'm wearin' awa'
To the land o' the leal.

There's nae sorrow there, John,
There's neither cold nor care, John,
The day is aye fair
In the land o' the leal.

Our bonnie bairn's there, John,
She was baith guid and fair, John,
And oh! we grudged her sair
To the land o' the leal.

But sorrow wi''s wearie past, John,
And joy is comin' fast, John,
The joy that's aye to last
In the land o' the leal.

Sae dear 's that joy was bought, John,
Sae free the Saviour brought, John,
That we'll meet an' we're brought
To the land o' the leal.

Oh! I hear ye speak aft' wae, John,
My sae lang to be frae, John,
And maybe behoves me
To the land o' the leal.

Oh! I hear ye feel my pain, John,
Your sigh 'n wearie strain', John,
And I'll wake wae yon
To the land o' the leal.

Now fare ye weel, my sae John,
This world's cares are vain, John,
We'll meet, and we'll be hale,
In the land o' the leal.

C. F. Russell, general agent of the Travelers' Insurance Company, of Hartford, died in Toronto from typhoid fever, aged 35. He enjoyed high reputation as an insurance man, and was widely connected.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Vice-Regal Reception.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Whilst influential Victorians, outside of the ministry, the Municipal Council, and the Dominion members, were conspicuous by their absence from the civic reception of the Governor-General, it would be a mistake to accept that circumstance as in any way indicating the real feeling of our citizens. Amongst all classes of the community, and especially with those who, in the present degraded condition of political life, hold severely aloof from public affairs, will be found a very high appreciation of the character of that illustrious nobleman who is now the chief executive officer of the Dominion. It is much to be regretted that universal distrust of the present ministry, and unpopularity of the Lieut.-Governor, should have given a semblance of coldness to the greeting of the Marquis of Lansdowne, upon this, his first visit, to our shores. Mr. Cornwall's testimony might well be advanced as an instance showing the inutility of the office but ought not have been permitted to execute a perverse influence upon the welcome accorded to Her Majesty's representative. It is satisfactory to realize that although the class of men who, under the aegis of the Lieutenant Governor, are likely to be brought in contact with the Marquis, may convey erroneous impressions to his mind, yet he will scarcely fail to read between the lines, and form just conceptions of the state of provincial affairs; conceptions which will ultimately make for the good of B. C. more than all the feeble utterances of our Senators and representatives for years past.

TRUTH.

A Drive to Goldstream.

On invitation from R. Dunsmuir, Esq., M.P.P., president of the Island Railway, His Excellency and Admiral Seymour, and Mr. Hope, accompanied Hon. Wm. Smithe, Hon. J. W. Trutch, J. H. Todd, Esq., president of the Board of Trade, Messrs. Earle, Hunter, C. E., A. J. McLellan, Accountant McLeod, Higgins and Sheets, drove out to Goldstream this morning. Here the cars were taken for a few miles. The road was found to be in fair condition. The flat car in which the party rode, as well as the locomotive, was gaily decked with flags, evergreens, flowers and native berries. At Esquimalt, the party visited the graving dock, and were shown around by Mr. P. Larkin, one of the contractors. The Governor, Admiral Seymour and the other distinguished gentlemen expressed their satisfaction at the progress the work was making. On going on board the Triumph, a salute of nineteen guns was fired, the yards were manned, and the representative of Her Majesty was received in a royal manner by the blue jackets.

THE DOMINION.

Mr. S. J. Lane has received the appointment of junior judge of the County Court for the county of Grey.

Mr. G. F. Holcomb, a well-known merchant, died yesterday in Montreal of congestion of the lungs, aged 65 years.

The duty collected at the port of Ottawa last month was $31,147, being $7,262 over the same month last year.

Mr. George Sandfield Macdonald, barrister, of this place, is about to open out a legal office in the city of Toronto.

The steamship Toronto, from Liverpool, brought out 104 head of prize breeding cattle to Montreal last week.

Mayor Manning, of Toronto, will shortly issue a manifesto making vaccination compulsory.

Rev. Dr. Kellogg, of Allegheny Seminary, Pittsburg, Pa., has accepted the call to St. James square Presbyterian church Toronto, vacated by Dr. King.

It is reported that G. R. Denovan, book-keeper for Wm. Kyle & Co., has also skipped. He has not been seen since Saturday night.

Miss Annie Mathieson has been appointed teacher of articulation in the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville.

The official debates of the senate for 1885 are being distributed. They consist of two volumes of 1,480 pages, including index.

Mr. Edward Allen has just returned from British Columbia, where he had some very important Government commission.

The whole of the Canada Cotton Co., works are illuminated by the electric light. This is an improvement on the gas, which was formerly used.

John P. Palmer, of Toronto, well-known to newspaper men all over the province through his connection with Miller & Richards, type-founders, died this morning, aged 67.

The Department of Public Works will shortly call for tenders for heating apparatus for the Quebec custom house, and for the erection of a court house and jail at Prince Albert, N.W.T.

The Inland Revenue receipts for the Toronto division for last month are $37,873, as compared with $77,734 for the corresponding month last year, showing a decrease of $49,861.08.

Inducements are being offered to Beach, the Australian oarsman, to come to the United States and row Hanlan for the championship of the world. It is thought the match will be made.

John "Clutch" Donohue, charged with having a quantity of stolen goods in his possession belonging to Wm. Goldstein, of Quebec, was found guilty at the Welland assizes. Sentence: Seven years in penitentiary.

John Easterbee, charged with the wilful murder of his brother Alex. Easterbee and sister-in-law, Lenty Easterbee, was found guilty in Welland on both counts and sentenced to be hanged on the 30th of November.

A meeting of the Brantford City Council was held Monday night when Mayor Scarfe tendered his resignation as Mayor of the city of Brantford which was accepted. Mr. Scarfe on Tuesday commenced his duties as sheriff of the county of Brantford.

Seventy-Nine.

The Montreal Star of the 2d inst. says: On Monday last the deaths from smallpox in the city and environs numbered 79. This exceptionally large total is much the greatest mortality in any one day of the epidemic's course. We trust that the dreadful height to which the plague has risen may spur every citizen to his duty in banishing it from this unhappy island. Seventy-nine deaths! If a gallant ship of Montreal's fleet went down at sea and seventy-nine lives were lost, a thrill of horror would excite the community to ask "Why did it sink?" And if a preventable cause could be assigned for the wreck, a cause traceable to a living culprit, wrathful would be his fate.

GENERAL DESPATCHES.

THE FLOOD ROCK EXPLOSION

250,000 lbs. of Dynamite Fired in New York Harbor.

Special to THE TIMES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The 250,000 pounds of dynamite under the Flood Rock, in Hell Gate has just been exploded. The shock was plainly felt at the lower end of Manhattan Island. In order to protect life and property at the Flood Rock explosion to-day, the most careful and adequate police arrangements were perfected. A force of 450 policemen, in addition to the harbor police, were detailed to the scene of action, 30 of whom were located on the East river front. Blackwell's Island contained 100 men, while 50 were on duty at Ward's Island. All the buildings on the north end of Blackwell's Island were cleared of their inmates, including the Almshouse, Workhouse and Lunatic Asylum, who were massed on the lawns, at a safe distance from the explosion, and carefully guarded. In the Penitentiary the cell doors were thrown open and the prisoners conducted to the halls of the prison, which was surrounded by the police, while a large force was stationed among the convicts to prevent escape or riot, and give aid in case it was found necessary to reach the building. All points on the shore from which the flood rock could be seen were densely packed with people. The police were kept busy in keeping the crowd outside of the danger line. Ropes had been stretched across the river above and below the place of the explosion and barrages from the navy yard patrolled the river to the sea. No vessels attempted to pass through. The bell in the tower of St. Ann's School building struck the hour of eleven and fifty thousand people waited expectantly for the explosion, which was advertised to be on hand at that hour, but at that moment there was still a number of people on the flood rock. A few moments later, however, took them off, and then the spectators braced themselves for the expected shock. Ladies and gentlemen in carriages stood upon cushions and leveled their opera glasses towards the island. A hushed expectancy fell upon the vast crowd, who seemed almost afraid to breathe for fear the act would disturb their view of the explosion should it occur at that moment. The river in the vicinity of the flood rock and Hallett's point was now clear of vessels. At a respectful distance, however, scores of excursion steamers, their decks black with people, yachts, tugs and even sound liners, waited for the pressing of the electric button. At precisely 11:18 o'clock the earth trembled and the bosom of the river was pierced with a mighty upheaval of rocks and timbers. Up went the glittering masses of water until it seemed as if they would never stop. At a height of 200 feet the uplifted waters paused and fell back again to the river. At this moment, when the air for hundreds of feet in each direction was filled with white masses of sparkling water, the spectacle was grand beyond expression. Mary Newton, 11 years old, daughter of Gen. Newton, who, as Chief Engineer has conducted operations at Hell Gate since the start, touched the button that set free the electric current that exploded the submarine mines and scattered the mountain of rock, lifting it out of the bosom of the sea and crushing it into a million of fragments. It was little Mary Newton, who when a mere babe touched off the first Hell Gate explosion, a few feet from the point from where she stood to-day. The shock of the collapse was felt only slightly on the Astoria shore, and the noise resembled a far distant subterranean thunder. When the flood rock had lifted its strong black mass, broken wreck was seen on the top of it. All the big derrick that had been left to its fate turned over on its side and broke. A huge tank that had been left at the north end of the island still stood in its place, tilted over a little as it had settled when let down by the angry waters from its aerial flight. Immediately after the explosion a fire broke out on the wreck, and burned lustily amidst the seething water. Four instantaneous photos were taken by officers of the corps of engineers, from the firing point at Astoria. As far as it was possible to judge from the position and appearance of the wreck the explosion has been an entire success, though for the present the vicinity of Blaster Rock will be even more dangerous than heretofore, until the wreck has been removed. The shock was felt to a slight extent in the City Hall building, which structure trembled for a space of a few seconds. At the County Court House, the shock was also distinctly felt in the upper part of the building, the first shock and windows trembled.

Earthquake in Virginia.

Special to THE TIMES.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Oct. 10.—Three distinct shocks of earthquake was felt in this city last night between 11 and 12 o'clock. A loud rumbling sound preceded each shock. The direction of the disturbance was due north and south. Many people, scared by the noise and the shaking of windows and furniture, rushed for the street, each enquiring of his neighbor the cause of the disturbance. This is the first shock felt in this vicinity for ten years.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J C Armstrong and D McRae, of New Westminster, and Wm Caven, of Montreal, are at the Oriental.

Mrs. J. B. Thomas, of Winnipeg, arrived by the Olympian to-day and relieved her husband, who has been a resident of Victoria for some time.

Mr. Walter Gaveley, real estate agent, returned from the east to-day. He has been absent about three months, and made an extensive tour, embracing Toronto, Halifax, Boston, New York, Chicago and other cities. The trip was a most enjoyable pleasure one.

Gone to San Francisco.

The steamship Mexico sailed for San Francisco to-day at noon, taking the following passengers from Victoria: C B Redfern, C Kent, H Brown, Miss B Bartrim, Miss Holden, Thos Bentley, Mrs H A Bagnall, Ua Lin, R T Howard, Tom Benton, J W Grace, L James, David Henry, J A Dean, J W Dickson, S Harris, Henry Card, Mr Black. The steerage passengers numbered 161, 31 of whom were Chinamen for Hongkong, and 130 whites and Chinese for San Francisco. Of the latter number most of the whites were late employees on the C. P. R., who go to California in the expectation of striking work on railway under construction there.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

"THERE'S nothing like leather" is a saying which has again been exemplified. The new Lord Mayor of London is a leather merchant.

LIEUT.-GOVERNOR ROBINSON, of Ontario, is not averse to a second term. It all depends upon whether SIR JOHN MACDONALD deems it necessary to shelve any of his wealthy colleagues.

HON. JOHN CARLING, the new Minister of Agriculture, has assumed the duties of that office. He will also be acting Postmaster-General until the return to Ottawa of SIR ALEX. CAMPBELL.

HENRY WARD BEECHER'S latest idea is that there are many horses and dogs better entitled to immortality than the men who own them. "Why should they not have a chance hereafter?" he asks. And adds: "I don't know but they will." MR. BEECHER'S theology becomes more and more variegated year by year.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD is understood to have told one of his principal supporters in Carleton county that RIEL must be hanged. This statement has caused increased interest in the remarks which he will make to his constituents at Bell's Corners tonight.

IT IS said that MR. TOWNSEND, M. P. for Cumberland county, N. S., who was in Victoria last week, and who was disappointed at the appointment of MR. NORMAN RITCHIE as Superior Court Judge vice THOMSON, who resigned, will succeed MR. JUSTICE RINN, in the same court, who will resign on account of ill health.

THE mercantile failures in the Dominion of Canada for the quarter ending September 30, as reported by R. G. DUN & Co., were 254, compared with 227 for the corresponding quarter of 1884. The liabilities were $1,911,000, while the liabilities for the corresponding quarter of 1884 were $4,112,000. For the first nine months of 1885 the total failures number 941, as compared with 979 for the first nine months of 1884. The liabilities amount for the first nine months of 1885 to a trifle over $7,000,000, compared with $14,855,000 in the same period last year.

THE British commission on the depression in trade is experiencing additional difficulties. At first every political economist and Liberal politician of any standing refused to serve upon the commission, and now the boards of trade, to whom a series of misleading questions were put, are refusing in many instances to send any collective answers back. The board of trade at Leicester, Manchester, and Plymouth are among these. The truth is that the commission is a sham like the protection which its promoters seek to introduce and the business men of England will have nothing to do with it.

THE railway pessimists who profess to see nothing but ruin for the C. P. R. Co., for the reason that there will be no freight to carry after the road is built, should pause and consider the following and the possibilities of which it is suggestive: "The first shipment of Montana cattle, for this season, by the Canadian Pacific, left Maple Creek for Chicago, on the 19th September; 4,000 head were then in sight, and from 4,000 to 6,000 were to follow. This is a business which, with the increase of cattle in that great Western country is expected to grow into immense proportions and supply a large traffic to the C. P. railway. Yet a few years ago cattle was not thought of at all, and especially Montana cattle, as freight for the road.

HAMILTON *Times*: Senator McINNES of British Columbia, is about to leave New Westminster and take up his residence in Toronto; and our Victoria namesake suggests that he resign his seat. This appears to be a reasonable proposition, if there is any truth in the contention that the Senators are appointed to see that the smaller Provinces get fair play. But we trust that Senator McINNES will not give up his position till he has called for a parliamentary committee and prove the statements that he has made against his leaders. He has asserted that the Department of Railways is a "sink of iniquity," and that all sorts of rascalities have been perpetrated for the benefit of the Acting Minister's special favorites. We move that the Senator be given ample opportunity to make good his statements. Many people believe that he is correct.

THE FORTIFICATION QUESTION.

There appears to be no cessation to the family quarrel going on between the senior government organ in this city and its prototype on the mainland, over the fortification question. It will yet be found that the position taken by the TIME TIMES in regard to our fortifications, was the correct and only feasible one, namely, the enlargement of the fortifications of this city and Esquimalt; the construction of new ones at Nanaimo to protect the valuable coal fields in that vicinity; and defensive works on the Burrard Inlet peninsula; the protection of the Fraser river and New Westminster. The sums already voted for the erection of the "C" battery, and the School of Gunnery at Victoria, cannot be applied to any other purpose or locality. While the estimates were being discussed, MR. E. CROWE BAKER, M. P., was persistent in his efforts to remove all uncertanty as to where the battery and school of gunnery were to be established, and that was Victoria, where there are already large Imperial as well as federal and provincial interests requiring protection against possible invasion. The delay in carrying the work to completion is occasioned in consequence of the inability of the Minister of Militia, SIR A. P. CAHON and GEN. MIDDLETON, personally visiting the province.

The attention of the authorities has also been directed to the terminus of the Canadian Pacific railway and a promise has been given that the entire matter of the fortification question would be fully discussed and every interest, considered to be necessary of protection, receive the fullest consideration; and there the matter must remain for the present. The *Colonist* and the *Columbian* had better direct their attention to other affairs of equal importance to the well being of our province, for no amount of bickering on their part will change the decisions already made, or those certain to be arrived at in the near future.

BRITAIN'S QUAKER ORATOR.

The announcement is made that MR. JOHN BRIGHT, England's great Quaker orator and statesman, is about to enter upon an active canvass in the interest of the Liberal party. For a period of thirty years MR. BRIGHT has been one of the most prominent figures in the British Parliament. It is claimed for him that no man, not even MR. GLADSTONE, has contributed more toward domestic reform than JOHN BRIGHT. He is distinguished for his strong convictions and for the moral courage which he exhibits in support of them. His views upon public questions are well known. He does not attempt to conceal them. He does not consider whether they are popular or unpopular. He considers only the right and wrong, the wisdom and the unwisdom, of the subject under consideration. MR. BRIGHT has announced his intention to support the late Attorney General, SIR HENRY JAMES, in contesting Bury, one of the suburbs of Manchester. SIR HENRY JAMES is one of the first lawyers at the English bar, and is himself a strong man. Should the coming Parliament live out its full term, it will perhaps, be the last to which MR. BRIGHT will effectively contribute. He is now 74 years of age, and before the second Parliament is elected, will, in all probability have reached the age of 80 years. MR. BRIGHT was a member of GLADSTONE'S government, but withdrew when the government resolved upon the invasion of Egypt. We are inclined to the opinion that MR. BRIGHT was right, and his colleagues were wrong, upon the question which led to his withdrawal from the cabinet, but MR. BRIGHT has not hesitated to declare his admiration for GLADSTONE, and for the policy on the whole which he had adopted in conducting the affairs of the Empire.

GLADSTONE'S MANIFESTO.

British journals are to hand containing the full text of MR. GLADSTONE'S manifesto. The document agrees with the telegraphic summary thereof which appeared in THE TIMES a few days ago. It is the utterance of a Radical among Conservatives, and a Conservative among Radicals. On the Land Question MR. GLADSTONE'S view is essentially that of an economist, who wishes to unshackle the land and render its acquisition by the abolition of entails, and by simplicity of conveyance; not that of the Socialist, who wishes to nationalize, confiscate, or create a small proprietary, by the intervention of the State. He condemns the action of the House of Lords in the past, and considers re-constitution necessary, but he wishes to reserve a share for the principle of birth, for which he has always, personally, shown a somewhat unaccountable deference, and which he represents as a link to the past and a check on the ascendency of wealth. Disestablishment he regards, or affects to regard, as a question for the remote future; but he admits the universal tendency of European opinion, and, by trying to divest the change of its terrors, shows plainly that if his public life were to be prolonged, he would, in the end, go with the current. Gratuitous education at the public cost he evidently, as an economist, dislikes, while he treats the proposal with respect, in compliment to his Socialistic wing. On the Irish question he is somewhat vague, as well as somewhat unctuous. But he seems to have made up his mind that, while he concedes an extension of local self government, he will uphold the legislative Union. Had he said this before, in plain language and in a firm tone, agitation would have seen its limits, and matters would not have come to the present pass. The intrigue of the Tories with the PARNELLITES is famous, and no words which MR. GLADSTONE can use in condemnation of it are too strong; but his own ominous silence, while the design of dismembering the nation was being openly avowed, has had some of the bad effects of an intrigue.

FROM Ottawa it is learned that although there is no extradition treaty between this country and Mexico the Dominion Government has just applied to the Mexican Government for the extradition of FRANK RIDNEY and D. H. SCOTT, who some little time since committed heavy forgeries at Winnipeg and who were tracked and arrested in Mexico, when application was made for the surrender of JAMES ROBINSON, the St. John, New Brunswick forger, who sought refuge in Mexico, believing that in the absence of a treaty he would be safe from capture. The Mexican Government stated that although there was no treaty they would willingly hand over the prisoner, although informed by the Dominion Government that they could not enter into reciprocity for the exchange of criminals until a new treaty was arranged. The Government here have every reason to believe that as regards the Mexican authorities the same course will be pursued in the case of RIDNEY and SCOTT as in the case of ROBINSON.

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BY WALTER BESANT.

CHAPTER VI.—(Concluded.)

"Your tutor! You said your tutor was an old gentleman."

"So I thought, Clara. But I was wrong. My tutor is a young lady; and this is her portrait, half finished. It does not do her any kind of justice."

"A young lady!" She looked suspiciously at Arnold, whose tell-tale cheek flushed. "A young lady! Indeed! And you have made her acquaintance."

"As you see, Clara, and she does me the honor to let me paint her portrait."

"What is her name, Arnold?"

"She is a Miss Aglen."

"Strange. The Deserts once intermarried with the Aglens. I wonder if she is any connection. They were Warwickshire Aglens. But it is impossible—a teacher by correspondence, a mere private governess! Who are her people?"

"She lives with her grandfather. I think her father was a tutor or journalist of some kind, but he is dead; and her grandfather keeps a second-hand bookshop in the King's road close by."

"A bookshop! But you said, Arnold, that she was a young lady."

"So she is, Clara," he replied simply.

"Arnold!" For the first time in his life Arnold saw his cousin angry with him. She was constantly being angry with other people, but never before had she been angry with him. "Arnold, spare me this nonsense. If you have been playing with this shop-girl I cannot help it, and I beg that you will tell me no more about it, and do not, to my face, speak of her as a lady."

"I have not been playing with her, I think," said Arnold gravely: "I have been very serious with her."

"Everybody nowadays is a young lady. The girl who gives you a cup of tea in a shop; the girl who dances in the ballet; the girl who makes your dresses."

"In that case, Clara, you need not mind my calling Miss Aglen a young lady."

"There is one word left, at least; women of my class are gentlewomen."

"Miss Aglen is a gentlewoman."

"Arnold, look me in the face. My dear boy, tell me, are you not?" Oh, think of my poor unhappy Claude, what he did and what he must have suffered!"

"I know what he did. I do not know what he suffered. My case, however, is different from his. I am not engaged to anyone."

"Arnold, think of the great scheme of life I have drawn out for you. My dear boy, would you throw that all away?"

She laid her hands upon his arm and looked in his eyes with a pitiful gaze. He took her hands in his.

"My dear, every man must shape his life for himself, or must live out the life shaped for him by his Fate, not by his friends. What if I see a life more delightful to me than that of which you dream?"

"You talk of a delightful life, Arnold; I spoke of an honorable career."

"Mine will be a life of quiet work and love. Yours, Clara, would be one of noisy and troublesome work without love."

"Without love, Arnold! You are infatuated."

She sank into the chair and buried her face in her hands. First, it was her lover who had deserted her for the sake of a governess, the daughter of some London tradesman; and now her adopted son, almost the only creature she loved, for whom she had schemed and thought for nearly twenty years, was ready to give up everything for the sake of another governess, also connected with the lower forms of commercial interest.

"It is very hard, Arnold," she said. "No, don't try to persuade me. I am getting an old woman, and it is too late for me to learn that a gentleman can be happy unless he marries a lady. You might as well ask me to look for happiness with a grocer."

"Not quite," said Arnold.

"It is exactly the same thing. Pray, have you proposed to this—this young lady of the second-hand book shop?"

"No, I have not."

"You are in love with her, however?"

"I am, Clara."

"And you intend to ask her—in the shop, I dare say, among the second-hand books—to become your wife?"

"And you intend to ask her—in the shop, among the second-hand books—to become your wife?"

"That is my serious intention, Clara."

"Claude did the same thing. His father remonstrated with him in vain. He took his wife to London, where, for a time, he lived in misery and self-reproach.

"Do you know that he reproached himself?"

"I know what must have happened when he found out his mistake. Then he went to America, where he died, no doubt in despair, although his father had forgiven him."

"The cases are hardly parallel," said Arnold. "Still you will permit me to introduce Miss Aglen to you, if she should do me the honor of accepting me? Be generous, Clara. Do not condemn the poor girl without seeing her."

"I condemn no one—I judge no one, not even you, Arnold. But I will not receive that young woman."

"Very well, Clara."

"How shall you live, Arnold?" she asked coldly.

It was the finishing stroke—the dismissal.

"I suppose we shall not starve; but, of course, I am talking as if——"

"As if she was ready to jump into your arms. Go on."

"We shall not starve, until I have made some kind of a beginning in my work. Clara, let us have no further explanation. I understand perfectly well. But, my dear Clara," he laid his arm upon her neck and kissed her, "I shall not let you quarrel with me. I owe you too much, and I love you too well. I am always your most faithful of servants."

"No; till you are married—then—Oh, Arnold! Arnold!"

A less strong-minded woman would have burst into tears. Clara did not. She got into her carriage and drove home. She spent a miserable evening and a sleepless night. But she did not cry.

CHAPTER VII.

ON SATTERNA TERRACE.

If a woman were to choose any period of her life which she pleased for indefinite prolongation, she would certainly select that period which lies between the first perception of the first symptoms—when she begins to understand that a man has begun to love her—and the day when he tells her so.

Yet women who look back to this period with so much fondness and regret forget their little tremors and misgivings—the self-distrust, the hopes and fears, the doubts and perplexities, which troubled this time. For although it is acknowledged, and has been taught by all philosophers from King Lemuel and Lao-Kiun downwards, that no greater prize can be gained by any man than the love of a good woman, which is better than a peerage—better than a Bonanza mine—better than Name and Fame, Kudos, and the newspaper paragraph, and is arrived at by much less exertion, being indeed the special gift of the gods to those they love; yet all women perfectly understand the other side to this great truth—namely, that no greater happiness can fall to any woman than the love of a good man. So that, in all the multitudinous and delightful courtships which go on around us, and in our midst, there is, on both sides, both with man and with maid, among those who truly reach to the right understanding of what this great thing may mean, a continual distrust of self, with humility and anxiety. And when, as sometimes happens, a girl has been brought up in entire ignorance of love, so that the thought of it has never entered her head, the thing itself, when it falls upon her, is overwhelming and enfolds her as with a garment from head to foot, and, except to her lover, she becomes as a sealed fountain. I know not how long this season of expectation would have lasted for Iris but for Arnold's conversation with his cousin, which persuaded him to speak and bring matters to a final issue. To this girl, living as secluded as if she was in an Oriental harem, who had never thought of love as a thing possible for herself, the consciousness that Arnold loved her was bewildering and astonishing, and she waited, knowing that sooner or later something would be said, but trembling for fear that it should be said.

After all, it was Lala Roy, and not Clara, who finally determined Arnold to wait no longer.

He came every day to the studio with Iris when she sat for her portrait. This was in the afternoon. But he now got into the habit of coming in the morning, and would sit in silence looking on. He came partly because he liked the young man and partly because the painter's art was new to him and it amused him to watch a man giving his whole time and intellect to the copying of faces and things on canvas. Also he was well aware by this time that it was not to see Mr. Emblem or himself that Arnold spent every evening at the house, and he was amused to watch the progress of an English courtship. In India, we know, they manage matters differently, and so as to give the bridegroom no more trouble than is necessary. This young man, however, he observed, took the most wonderful pains and the most extraordinary trouble to please.

"Do you know, Lala Roy," Arnold said one morning after a silence of three hours or so, "do you know that this is going to be the portrait of the most beautiful woman in the world, and the best?"

"It is well," said the Philosopher, "when a young man desires virtue as well as beauty."

"You have known her all her life. Don't trouble yourself to speak, Lala. You can nod your head if there isn't a maxim ready. You began to lodge in the house twenty years ago, and you have seen her every day since. If she is not the best, as well as the most beautiful girl in the world, you ought to know and can contradict me. But you do know it."

"Happy is the man," said the sage, "who shall call her wife; happy the children who shall call her mother."

"I suppose, Lala," Arnold went on with an ingenuous blush, "I suppose that you have perceived that—that—in fact—I love her."

The Philosopher inclined his head.

"Do you think—you who know her so well—that she suspects as—knows it?"

"The thoughts of a maiden are secret thoughts. As well may one search for the beginnings of a river as inquire into the mind of a woman. Their ways are not our ways, nor are their thoughts ours, nor have we wit to understand, nor have they tongue to utter, the things they think. I know not whether she suspects."

"Yet you had experience, Lala Roy!"

A smile stole over the Sage's features.

"In the old days when I was young I had experience, as all men have. I have had many wives. Yet to me, as to all others, the thoughts of the harem are unknown."

"Yet, Iris—surely you know the thoughts of Iris, your pupil."

"I know only that her heart is the abode of goodness, and that she knows not an evil thought. Young man, beware. Trouble not the clear fountain."

"Heaven knows," said Arnold, "I love her——" And here he stopped.

"Youth," said the Sage presently, "is the season for love. Enjoy the present hour. Woman is made to be loved. Receive with gratitude what Heaven gives. The present moment is your own. Do not until the evening what you may accomplish at noon."

With these words the Oracle became silent, and Arnold sat down and began to think it all over again.

An hour later he presented himself at the house in the King's Road. Iris was alone, and she was playing.

"You, Arnold! It is early for you."

"Forgive me, Iris, for breaking in on your afternoon; but I thought—it is a fine afternoon—I thought that, perhaps—— You have never taken a walk with me."

She blushed, I think in sympathy with Arnold, who looked confused and stammered, and then she said she would go with him.

There are not many who walk in the Battersea gardens. Arnold and Iris had the terrace almost to themselves, save for half a dozen girls with children, and two or three old men making the most of the last summer they were ever likely to see, though it would have been cruel to tell them so.

"This is your favorite walk, Iris," said Arnold at last, breaking the silence.

"Yes; I come here very often. It is my garden. Sometimes in the winter, and when the east wind blows up the river I have it all to myself."

"A quiet life, Iris," he said, "and a happy life."

"Yes; a happy life."

"Iris, will you change it for a life which will not be so quiet?" He took her hand, but she made no reply. "I must tell you, Iris, because I cannot keep it from you any longer. I love you—oh, my dear, I cannot tell you how I love you."

"Oh, Arnold!" she whispered. It had come, the thing she feared to hear!

"May I go on? I have told you now the most important thing, and the rest matters little. Oh, Iris, may I go on and tell you all?"

"Go on," she said; "tell me all."

"As for telling you everything," he said with a little laugh, "that is no new thing. I have told you all that is in my mind for a year and more. It seems natural that I should tell you this too, even if it did not concern you at all, but some other girl, though that would be impossible. I love you, Iris; I love you—I should like to say nothing more. But I must tell you as well that I am quite a poor man; I am an absolute pauper; I have nothing at all—no money, no work, nothing. My studio and all must go back to her; and yet, Iris, in spite of this, I am so selfish as to tell you that I love you. I would give you, if I could, the most delightful palace in the world, and I offer you a share in the uncertain life of an artist, who does not know whether he has any genius, or whether he is fit even to be called an artist."

She gave him her hand, with the frankness which was her chief charm, and with a look in her eyes so full of trust and truth that his heart sank within him for very fear lest he should prove unworthy of so much confidence.

"Oh, Arnold," she said, "I think that I have loved you all along, ever since you began to write to me. And yet I never thought that love would come to me."

He led her into that leafy grove on the seat convenient for lovers, which lies immediately close to the Italian restaurant, where they sell the cocoa and the ginger beer. There was no one in the place but themselves, and here, among the falling leaves, and in a solitude as profound as on the top of a Dartmoor Tor, Arnold told the story of his love again, and with greater eloquence, though even more passion.

"Oh," said Iris again, "how could you love me, Arnold—how could you love any girl so? It is a shame, Arnold; we are not worth so much. Could any woman," she thought, "be worth the wealth of passion and devotion which her lover poured out for her?"

(To be continued.)

THISTLE-DOWN.

A Vassar maiden met a man
Who never learned a paradigm,
But he was rich and drove a span,
And she shock Greek and married him.
—(Exchange.

Economy will always pay;
The man who saves is wise,
And those content with much to-day
Will one day eat mince pies.
—(Exchange.

All is not death, what seems so is transition;
This life of mortal breath,
If kept away from physic and physician,
May get the bulge on Death.
—(Puck.

The time draweth nigh
When the harassing fly—
In summer the worst of humanities foes—
Will skate up and down
On the smooth, polished crown
Of the bald-headed man when he's taking a doze.
—(Boston Courier.

I do not sigh for the stately maid,
Though her face be e'er so fair,
For the truth to tell, I'm half afraid,
Of the girl with the haughty air.
There's a sweeter charm, a rarer grace,
That homage will always win,
'Tis found in the bright and smiling face
Of the girl with the double chin.
—(Exchange.

Coming Down Under a Parachute.

[Philadelphia Times.]

But the greatest balloon feat I ever witnessed was in September of 1857. Upwards of 15,000 people were at Lemon hill and along the banks of the Schuylkill to see Monsieur Godard go up in a balloon along with his brother and drop the latter out from among the clouds in a parachute. It is said that the feat had never been attempted before in the history of ballooning. It was a startling novelty and the people crowded to see it. When the balloon sailed gracefully upward outside of the enclosure Monsieur Godard and two friends were in the basket, while below it Monsieur E. Godard, his brother, was seated upon a small bar of wood attached to the parachute.

It looked like an immense umbrella. The balloon went over the Schuylkill in a southwesterly direction, and after it had reached an altitude of about 6,000 feet began to slowly descend. Then the parachute began to expand. When within about 3,000 feet of earth the cord was cut and the parachute rapidly descended, with Godard hanging on to the bar. The balloon shot upward again. The descent of the parachute was keenly watched by the thousands of spectators, and many expected to see the daring man dashed to the earth in the twinkling of an eye. It was observed, however, that the nearer to earth the parachute came the descent was slow and easy.

At last the man and his big umbrella faded out of sight over the hills and we learned next morning that he came down all right on his feet, like a cat, about a half mile west of the old Bell tavern, on the Darby road. Godard and his brother were Frenchmen. They returned to their native country and, I believe, were valuable to their countrymen during the Franco-Prussian war. Gambetta sailed out of Paris to Tours in one of their balloons.

Training the College Oarsmen.

[Outing.]

Training in these days is conducted more literally and intelligently, but the prize fighter school of training made its influence felt into the seventies. In 1871 the brown oarsmen were limited to nine swallows of water daily, and in 1873 the Dartmouth giants were taken out directly after a hearty supper for a six-mile pull at full speed, on the old principle of "working food into 'em." Very naturally four of the six were made sick, much to the surprise of John Biglin, their trainer. Fortunately, such ignorant and dangerous "training" as this has passed away.

The best resources of science and experience are applied to the physical care of college oarsmen. With a physician, a trained specialist, at hand to decide whether or not the candidate is fitted to compete for boating honors the old argument of the dangerous over-exertion, and so on, of rowing falls to the ground. It is acknowledged that there are men with tendencies to heart troubles, let us say, who should never enter a racing-boat, just as there are men forbidden by inherited appetites to touch a drop of wine. But the final answer to objections is that, at Harvard, and I believe, at Yale, no man is permitted to begin training until he has undergone a thorough physical examination and has been declared competent by a recognized authority.

The Buoyant Power of Water.

[Exchange.]

The human body weighs a pound in the water, and a chair will carry two grown persons—that is, it will keep the head above water, which is all that is necessary when it is a case of life or death. One finger placed upon a stool or chair, or a small box, or a piece of board, will easily keep the head above water, while the two feet and other hand may be used as paddles to propel towards the shore.

It is not necessary to know how to swim to be able to keep from drowning in this way. A little experience of the buoyant power of water, and faith in it, is all that is required. We have seen a small boy, who could not swim a stroke, propel himself back and forth across a deep, wide pond by means of a board that would not sustain five pounds weight. Children and all others should have practice in the sustaining power of water. In nine cases out of ten the knowledge that, what will sustain a pound weight is all that is necessary to keep one's head above the water, will serve better in emergencies than the greatest expertness as a swimmer.

Just as Well, Perhaps.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"What time does the train go?" he lazily inquired as he slouched into the depot.

"What train?" asked the special officer in reply.

"Well, lemme see! Gimme time to sit down and look up my documents."

He sat down and overhauled his pocks, and at the end of a quarter of an hour he approached the officer with:

"I want to go to Flint."

"Flint! The train left five minutes ago."

"Gone right out, has it?"

"Yes, sir."

"And I'm left?"

"You are."

"Well, perhaps it's better. I presume I should have fallen asleep and been carried fifty miles too far. I'll try and be on hand next time, but you needn't ask 'em to wait if I ain't here. I may take a notion to walk."

No Cause for Alarm.

[Chicago Times.]

A New York paper says: "It is said that snakes are rapidly dying out. This will be alarming news to the large class of people in the world who would rather read a good snake story than the Bible." There's really no cause for alarm. Snakes may die out, but snake stories never will.

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Centrally located near the Railway and Steamboat landings.

The table will be supplied with the best the market affords.

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A pleasant and healthful summer resort, overlooking Juan de Fuca Straits, and only one mile from the Postoffice, Victoria.

Families can be provided with suites of rooms at moderate charges. A first class Cook has just been engaged. Telephone call 807.

Esquimalt Hotel,

ESQUIMALT,

HAS been thoroughly refitted, and will be found equal to any in the town for comfortable accommodations, at the following rates: Board, per week, $4.50; Board and Lodging, per week, $6 and $6; Meals, 25c; Beds, 25c and 50c. Baggage taken to the hotel free of charge.

JOSEPH MILLER,
aug15 tf Proprietor.

St. Nicholas Hotel,

Government St., Victoria, B. C.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION.

Single Meals, 25cts. Beds 25cts to 50cts. Board per day $1.00. Board per week, $5.50 to $7.00. Table Board, $4.25.

McCARTNEY & VERNER, - Props.
sep23-1m

Globe Hotel,

ESQUIMALT.

Board and Lodging moderate. Billiard Room attached.

☞ No Chinamen employed.

aug1 tf DOYLE & FISHER, Proprietors.

RAILROAD HOTEL,

JOHNSON STREET

Opposite Shotbolt's Drug Store. VICTORIA.

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Best Board and Cleanest Beds in the City.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS. Single Meals, 25 cents; Beds per night, 25 cents; Board and Lodging per week $4.50. Terms Cash.

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California Hotel,

Cor. Washington and Adams sts.,

Port Townsend, Washington Ter.

BOARD—Per Week, with Lodging, $5. Single Meals, 25 cents.

Best of accommodations and everything in first class style. Billiard and Pool Tables.

5ep19 CAPT. C. GILBERT, Proprietor.

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL,

Southeast Cor. Fort and Douglas Sts.

VICTORIA, B. C.

Board and Lodging, per week.....$3.50 and $4.
Board, per week.....$4.50
Beds, per night.....50c

No Chinese Employed.

The bar is supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

sep16 JOHN BERRYMAN, Props.

SUNNYSIDE HOTEL,

GRANVILLE.

FIRST-CLASS in every particular. Rates, $1, $1.50 and $2 per day, according to accommodation. Special rates by the week or month. The largest and most commodious hotel on Burrard Inlet. Fittings and furnishings throughout new. A large number of guests can be accommodated.

oct3 H. REMLOW, Proprietor.

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PORT MOODY B. C.

THIS new and elegant Hotel is now open. The choicest brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars always on hand. The table supplied with the best in the market.

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sep10 1m P. CAREY, Proprietor.

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oct 13-3m

Notice

ALL THOSE INDEBTED TO THE FIRM of Calderwood, Grant & Cook, Contractors, are requested to call on the undersigned at the office of Mr. J. Lippett, second door from the Pavilion on Yates, Victoria, Wm. Cook, Esq., Nanaimo, or legal steps will be taken to collect the same.

JOHN GRANT.

Victoria, Oct. 3rd, 1885. octo

SAILING OF VESSELS—RAILROADS.

THE OPPOSITION STEAMER

TEASER,

FOR

New Westminster, Pt. Hammond

And way ports, leaves Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf

TUESDAY EVENING at 8 O'CLOCK
FRIDAY " "

Fare to New Westminster - $1 50
Freight per ton - - - - 2 00

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For Port Townsend and Seattle.

ELIZA ANDERSON,

Will hereafter, until further notice, leave Victoria for Port Townsend and Seattle as follows:

Sunday at 8 o'clock A. M. and
Wednesday and Friday at 2 A. M.

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Mail Steamship Co.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL SAIL FOR HONGKONG via YOKOHAMA as follows:

City of Rio de Janeiro, Oct. 31st.
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Excursion tickets to Yokohama and return at reduced rates.

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At 10 o'clock A. M.

Taking freight and passengers for Mazatlan, Acapulco, Champerico, San Jose de Guatemala, Acajutla, La Libertad and Punta Arenas.

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City of Sidney, - - - - Sept. 26

at 7 o'clock p.m. or immediately on arrival of the English mails.

☞ $10 additional is charged for upper cabin passage.

For freight or passage apply at the office, corner First and Brannan streets.

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GRADUAL REDUCTION PROCESS,

Manufactured by the Salem (Oregon) Capitol Flour Mills Company, Limited.

☞ ONCE TRIED ALWAYS USED.

The above flour was sold at New Orleans, after close of the Exhibition, for 75 cents per barrel more than flour from other States, and pronounced by Mr. Redon, the Baker who bought it, the finest he had ever used.

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IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

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Manufacturers

ESTABLISHED 1879.

VICTORIA, - - - - VICTORIA COLUMBIA

ENQUIRIES INVITED.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Saturday, October 10, 1885.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Before purchasing Real Estate or insuring your life, see Rand Bros. *

—George Howison, Hector Ferguson and John Laity, Esquires, of Maple Ridge, have been appointed Justices of the Peace for the Electoral District of New Westminster.

—British Columbia, it is said, is to be invaded, not by another Chinese colony, but by one of the Ontario Glove Works representatives. A good article goes a long way.

—Mr. C. B. Robelle, Wharf street, near Johnson, is prepared to execute all orders entrusted to him for jobbing, carpenter and joinery work on the shortest possible notice, in a satisfactory manner, and for reasonable charges.

—The address presented to His Excellency yesterday by the Board of Trade was engrossed by Mr. Tudor Tiedeman. It was beautifully illuminated and was by far the finest sample of artistic penmanship ever executed in the city.

—Three samples of early potatoes grown in Victoria by Mr. Geo. Richardson, were exhibited at the city hall Friday. The Governor-General examined them, and praised them highly, especially one variety.

—The Yosemite arrived from New Westminster at 3.30 with a heavy cargo of freight and a large passenger list. Discharged workingmen from the C. P. R. continue to come down in large numbers.

—Amongst those who called on His Excellency the Governor-General, yesterday, at Government House, was Col. Stevens, U. S. Consul at this port. His Excellency received the Col. in an exceedingly gracious manner. The interview, although necessarily brief, was a pleasant one to both gentlemen.

—The Columbian and the Colonist, friends and political companions in iniquity though they be, are still quarrelling about the battery and the defence question. Their conduct is suggestive to the old saying, "when rogues fall out honest people receive their rights." The quarrel gives indications of widening.

—The names of the following gentlemen were accidentally omitted from the published list of the Board of Trade delegation that waited upon His Excellency yesterday: Messrs. John Nicholles, R. G. Prior, C. Strouss, A. W. Jones, R. H. Alexander, and A. A. Green. The name of Mr. M. W. Waitt wrongly appeared among the names of those present.

Mrs. Hampson's Mission.

The Theatre Comique was filled again last evening by an audience that evinced the deepest interest in the subject which was presented with unusual clearness, practicalness and power. The text was chosen from the bible narrative of Naaman, II Kings, v. 13, "Wash and be Clean." The speaker began by saying that when they all stood before the bar of God not one would have it to say that the message she brought them to-night was not sufficiently simple. And the whole discourse, which occupied an hour, through all the statement of truth and the employment of metaphor, incident and argument which it was set forth, the periods of earnest and impassionate, as well as the more subdued and pathetic delivery, was evidently plain enough for a child to understand. The number that rise for prayer and those who remain to the after meeting had the joy of knowing that the words they had heard were to them "the savour of life unto life." To-morrow evening she will devote herself specially to the professional and business men of this city. It is to be hoped they will not miss the opportunity of hearing this eloquent lady preacher.

The services in connection with Mrs. Hampson's mission in the Theatre Comique to-morrow will be as follows: Afternoon meeting at 3:45; evening service at 7:30. The business and professional men and advocates of free thought are specially invited to the evening service. The pastors of these churches interested in the mission are respectfully requested to hold the church evening service at 6:30.

An Unwarranted Dismissal.

On the arrival of the Geo. E. Starr at Port Townsend yesterday Mr. Artridge, travelling inspector of U. S. Customs, travelling from Port Townsend and this city, was dismissed without a moment's notice by Mr. Beecher, Collector. Mr. Artridge had served through two administrations, was a very efficient officer, and at the same time was universally popular with the traveling public. His instant dismissal, without cause, is probably not inconsistent with the spoils system, and the miserable policy of favoritism, that obtains south as well as north of the border in all political appointments; but it is none the less a contemptible act that a long-tried and faithful servant should be kicked out of his position without a reason being assigned or the slightest warning given. Captain Beecher only recently was navigating an insignificant little steamer on the Sound, and his elevation to the collectorship has apparently had a bad effect upon him. There is an adage that says that a certain class of individuals proceed straight to the presiding genius in shool, when they get on horse back.

The Quarantine Regulation.

At the police court this morning, Mr. Gannaway informed His Honor that a charge had been preferred against Capt. Wilson, of the Olympian, for a violation of the quarantine regulations, but as the papers had not then been returned by the officer who served them he asked that the court be adjourned until 2 p.m., when the case could be proceeded with. The court suggested that as the case was not one of urgency, and a summons would be responded to by Capt. Wilson at any time, it should stand until some time next week. It was so agreed to.

Fumigating the Olympian.

The Olympian arrived at the outer wharf this morning at 9.30, and was boarded by Health Officer Dr. Jackson. An inspection was made of the vessel for sanitary reasons, and she was thoroughly fumigated before being permitted to land. She was docked at the inner wharf at 2 p.m., having never been detected by the Health Officer to warrant her detention in quarantine.

LIBERAL OFFER.

We will supply the Toronto Weekly Globe to the end of 1886 for $1 to new subscribers.

Subscriptions received also for any Periodical published in the world Canadian, English and American, papers a specialty. Supplied at publisher's price or very slight advance. The sooner you order the more you get for your money.

oct3 J. H. FERGUSON & CO.

Misses and Children's Autumn and Winter Mantles, 20 to 40 inches long, from $1 25 each, at the CITY HOUSE.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

The two prisoners Chin Ah Yim and Wyan Cha Ying, who stabbed and robbed Wong Ting Luk of $1200 a few weeks ago, were in the dock to-day. They are a couple of villainous looking scoundrels, who appear capable of committing the most fiendish crime if they thought they would not be found out. The evidence of Dr. Taylor, who dressed the man's wounds, was taken. Wong Ting Luk, the man attacked was also examined. While giving evidence he was permitted to sit down, as he has not yet recovered from the frightful cut inflicted. He identified both prisoners and the murderous looking knife with which he was stabbed. A remand was taken until Tuesday. The prisoners are almost certain to be committed for trial.

Judge Gray dissented from the decision of Judge Crease. Mr. Justice Gray contends that if the decision of the Chief Justice is correct every merchant and trader is liable to arrest at any moment. In this respect his judgment is an important one.

Mr. Richards, Q. C., and Mr. Helmcken for the appellants; Mr. Chas. Wilson for the defendants.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

George Hyde, Cock-eyed Annie, John Clyde, Wm. Thomas, and Charles Hagerman, drunks, were fined $5 each or one week.

George Bedford, obstructing the sidewalk on Cormorant street, and exposing his person in public. Officer Grant, who made the arrest at 3 o'clock this morning, said that the noise of an Indian woman screaming attracted his attention. When arrested prisoner was not drunk. Fined $25 or three months.

George Bedford, same prisoner, supplying Annie, a Fort Rupert Indian woman with liquor. Fined $50 or three months.

DIVISIONAL COURT.

(Before Messrs. Justices Crease and Gray.)

FRIDAY, Oct. 9.

Prevost vs. Hoy Jai Yen and Jam Kwong Yen. The court delivered judgment in this cause, which was on appeal from the Chief Justice. The court was divided in opinion, and the order of the Chief Justice stands, prisoner remaining in court until a further hearing.

The application was for the discharge of Jam Kwong Yen, the other defendant having been arrested since former argument. The arrests were made on a writ ne exeat, at the instance of Mr. Prevost, receiver of Kwong Lee & Co.'s estate. They had been his agents for the management of the business at Yale, and refused to give an account of the conduct of the business.

MARINE NOTES.

The bark Spartan was docked yesterday afternoon at Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf, and will take in provisions and cargo of Celestials and leave at the latter end of the week for China.

The Banquet

In honor of His Excellency, the Governor-General, will take place in the Driard this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

His Excellency, it is understood will leave the city on Monday, going to Nanaimo, and from thence to Burrard Inlet. He will be in New Westminster on Wednesday, remaining over night at St. Mary's Mount. The party will leave that city for the east on Thursday.

Many forget that the hair and scalp need cleansing as well as the hands and feet. Extensive use of Ayer's Hair Vigor has proven that it is the best cleansing agent for the hair—that it prevents as well as removes dandruff, cools and soothes the scalp, and stimulates the hair to renewed growth and beauty. *

A peculiar virtue in Ayer's Sarsaparilla is that while it cleanses and purges the blood from all corruptions and impurities, and thereby roots out disease, it builds up and invigorates the whole system, and makes one young again. *

A Rare Opportunity.

Dr. Mintie, of San Francisco, who is admitted to be the most successful specialist on the Pacific Coast, is now represented in this city. The rooms of the doctor are at the Oriental hotel, where consultation may be had free. *

DECORATED TOILET SETS, majolica ware and fancy clocks, just opened at JOHN WELLER'S, Fort street. *

8-4 Woolen Blankets $3 per pair, at Cheap Variety Store, Masonic Building, Douglas street. *

A beautiful line of FOLDING CHAIRS and ROCKERS, latest designs, just received at JOHN WELLER'S, Fort street. *

Oysters in any quantity received at the Poodle Dog.

Rand Bros, real estate brokers, have removed from Yates street to Galpin's new block, Fort street. *

ICE at Brewster's, Yates street, or of W. Tinson. *

All the latest Songs and Instrumental Music, at Waitt's Music Store.

See John Weller's new advertisement in another column. *

HEAVY CORDED BLACK SILKS, exceptional value. Just received At the CITY HOUSE.

JERSEYS! JERSEYS!
One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

BEADED BLACK SILK JERSEYS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1.62½ each. Just received at the CITY HOUSE.

Robt. T. Williams, Book Binder Paper Ruler and Blank Book Manufacturer. Rags and Drawing Paper Mounted. Office of the B. C. Directory Broad St.

Now Ready.

The B. C. Directory for 1885, just issued by R. T. Williams, publisher, is a perfect compendium of information concerning the city of Victoria and the province of British Columbia. The subscription price, $5.50, is so low that it should be kept as a book of reference in every business house and residence in the province.

C. B. ROBELEE,

Carpenter, Joiner and Contractor,

WHARF STREET, near JOHNSON, VICTORIA.

All kinds of jobbing promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed.

Charges Moderate.

oct10-3m.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES NOTICE THAT he has purchased the business of Simon Leung, at Kamloops, and will keep the title of Golden Lung on the business in my name. All debts will be paid by Simon Leung.

LEUNG SEE.

October 10, 1885. oct10-12d

NEW TO-DAY.

ESQUIMALT HOTEL.

IT HAVING been reported that the small-pox was in the above hotel, the undersigned wishes to distinctly state that there is no sickness whatever in the house.

J. H. BROWN,
In charge of the hotel.

Oct 10th, 1885.

Columbia House.

The Artisans Cash Dry Goods Store,

CORNER FORT & BROAD STS.,

Will be opened on Monday next, Oct. 12th, with a large and varied assortment of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

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Bowling Alley.

Healthy Exercise—Pleasant Pastime. Cheap Amusement.

MR. GEO. BAKER invites the public to his new Bowling Alley on

YATES STREET (above Douglas),

Where a pleasant hour may be passed in a cheap and healthful way. Come one! Come all!

oct8 1m

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received

By the undersigned for the purchase of the

STEAMER "DAISY."

Up to noon of the 21st day of October instant, subject to her liens and engagements. Registered tonnage, 57 tons.

Further particulars to be had on application.

☞ Terms cash.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Receiver Estate R. R. Pidcock.

Dated October 6th, 1885. oct9

$500 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have been killing our calves running on range between

Churn Creek and Lone Cabin, Lillooet District.

And a further reward of Fifty Dollars for arrest and conviction of the party or parties who cut our stake ropes during the first week of September, 1885.

P. A. HARTMAN,
F. GATTERDSON.

October 7, 1885. oct7 2m

Contract for Supply of Mail Bags.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General (For Printing and Supply Branch), and marked "Tender for Mail Bags," will be received at Ottawa until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 2nd November, 1885, for the supply of the Post Office Department of Canada with such Cotton Duck, Jute and Leather Mail Bags as may from time to time be required for the Postal Service of the Dominion.

Samples of the Bags to be furnished may be seen at the Post Offices at Halifax, N.S., St. John, N. B., Charlottetown, P. E. I., Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, London, Winnipeg, Man., Victoria, B. C., or at the Post Office Department at Ottawa.

The Bags supplied, both as regards material and manufacture, to be fully equal to the samples, and to be delivered from time to time in such quantities as may be required at Ottawa.

The contract, if satisfactorily executed, shall continue in force for the term of four years, provided always the workmanship and material be satisfactory to the Postmaster-General.

Each tender to state the price asked per bag for the form and manner prescribed by the form of tender, and to be accompanied by the written guarantee of two responsible parties, undertaking that in the event of the tender being accepted, the contractor shall be duly organized, the party tendering for the price named, Undertaking also to become bound with the contractor in the sum of two thousand dollars for the due performance of the contract.

Printed forms of tender and guarantee may be obtained at the Post Offices above named, or at the Post Office Department, Ottawa.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

WILLIAM WHITE,
Secretary.

Post Office Department, Canada,
Ottawa, 1st October, 1885. oct9

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between James Roderick McKenzie and John Heston, trading under the style or firm name of McKenzie & Heston, Carriage Builders and Blacksmiths, at Victoria, B. C., has been dissolved by mutual consent from the date hereof.

Mr. John Heston will assume all liabilities and assets of the late firm, and will continue the business on his own account.

Dated 21st September, 1885.

J. R. McKENZIE.
JOHN HESTON.

Witness—S. PERRY MILLS, Solicitor. oct2

Notice

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as Chemists and Druggists has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Langley assumes all the assets and liabilities of the late firm.

Victoria, September 9th, 1885.

R. J. LANGLEY.
R. L. JONES.

Witness—J. Roland Hett, Barrister-at-Law. oct10

Notice.

CREDITORS of Augustus Langford Brown, late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District, deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister-at-Law,
Langley street, Victoria.

August 5, 1885. aug5

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows: Commencing at a post about two miles below the mouth of Kennedy river on Salmon river, and running west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, more or less, to the bank of the Kennedy river, thence following the banks of the Kennedy and Salmon rivers to the point of commencement.

CHRISTOPHER IRVING.

Victoria, August 4, 1885. aug4 3m w

Change of Business Notice.

HAVING transferred the Real Estate business, corner Yates and Broad streets, to C. D. Rand, we shall in future conduct a general Shipping, Commission and Manufacturers' Agency business. We will open a Warehouse shortly, when we will have superior facilities for carrying on the above business. Advertisement in a few days.

A. E. MAIN & CO.

oct10 1f

Information Wanted

OF JAMES LOGIE, who left Portland, Oregon, in 1882, to join his mother, who was then living near Fort Rupert, Vancouver Island, British Columbia. Address Joanna Logie, Tyndrum, Ontario.

oct8 1m C&W

NEW TO-DAY.

MUNICIPAL.

Applications for Debentures,

TO THE EXTENT OF $16,000,

Issued by authority of the Public Lighting By-Law, 1885.

ALSO, $5000,

Issued by authority of the Drainage By Law, 1885.

Will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p. m. on the

21st day of October instant,

The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JAMES D. ROBINSON
C. M. C.

City Hall, 9th October, 1885. oct10

(No. 123.)

A BY-LAW

For raising the sum of $16,000 to provide for and improve the Public Lighting of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the present Public Lighting of the City of Victoria is insufficient, and it is expedient and necessary to extend and improve the same, and for that purpose to raise by way of loan, upon the credit of the said city the sum of $16,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $1,326 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said city, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $5,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-12 of one cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $16,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said city for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than $100 each, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of 6 per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-12 of one cent in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this By-Law, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price or prices as shall in each case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no issues of debentures or of any debentures shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act 1881, and shall take effect on, from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the Public Lighting By-Law, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of September, A. D. 1885.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 29th day of September, A. D. 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 9th day of September, A. D. 1885.

R. P. RITHET,
Mayor.

{L. S.} JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

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CITY OF VICTORIA.

MUNICIPAL

REAL ESTATE TAX.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Municipal Council, all Real Estate Tax remaining unpaid on and after the 31st day of October instant, will bear, and be chargeable with, interest at the rate of one per cent per month until paid.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 10th Oct., 1885. oct10

Rheumatism!

WHave directed to give each of the first six applicants a bottle of

"Nash's Positive Cure"

For Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, or Sciatica.

LANGLEY & CO.

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CALEDONIA WASHING POWDER

This preparation has been tried by our customers and found to give the best satisfaction, equalling all others.

We can safely recommend it to the public as possessing qualities UNRIVALLED.

Sole Agents for British Columbia,

J. & J. FLETT, Grocers,
Corner Fort and Douglas Streets

POULTRY STAND

J. BROWN has opened a Poultry stand in the Province market, at the Fresh Meat Market. Fowls for roasting, Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Eggs, and Fresh meats on to sale. The above will be opened at the lowest possible prices. 29-tf

NEW TO-DAY.

(No. 124.)

A BYLAW

For Raising the Sum of $5000 to Obtain Plans and Specifications for the Drainage of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT AND NECESSARY to provide a complete and permanent system of Drainage for the City of Victoria, and before commencing the construction thereof to obtain plans and specifications for such a system upon the best sanitary and scientific principles.

And whereas for the purpose of obtaining such plans and specifications by public competition it is expedient and necessary to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $5000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $180 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said City, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $5,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-120 of a cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating a yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan, from any persons or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $5000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said City for the purpose and with the object here-before recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required either in currency or sterling money not less than $100 each and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years, from the day hereinafter mentioned, for this Bylaw to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures, and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-120 of one cent in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the said City of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this Bylaw, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to re-purchase any of the said debentures at such price or prices as shall in each case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no issues of debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

7. This Bylaw shall, before final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act 1881, and shall take effect on from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Drainage Bylaw, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of September, A. D., 1885.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 29th day of September, 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 30th day of September, A. D., 1885.

R. P. RITHET,
Mayor.

{L.S.} JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

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PUBLIC BANQUET

To His Excellency the Governor General.

A BANQUET having been tendered to His Excellency, the same will be given

On Saturday, 10th October.

at 7-30 p. m.

Tickets can be obtained up to Friday at noon, from His Worship the Mayor, the Reception Committee, or from the following gentlemen: A. McLean, Esq., Charles Hayward, Esq., D. R. Harris, Esq., or

JAMES D. ROBINSON
Honorary Secretary.

City Hall, October 5. oct

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September 1st, 1885. sep8

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